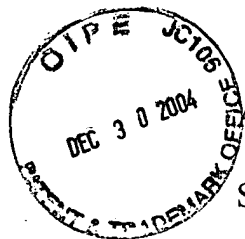


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**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding Official Action dated 30 September 2004,  
please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims that  
begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 12 of this paper and includes  
one replacement sheet.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.

**An Appendix** including a replacement drawing sheet of Fig. 11 is attached  
following page 14 of this paper.